## EXHIBIT A Certification

## IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

| In re:               | Chapter 11              |
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| JOANN, INC., et al., | Case No. 25-10068 (CTG) |
| Debtors. 1           | (Jointly Administered)  |

## **CERTIFICATION OF SANJURO KIETLINSKI**

Sanjuro Kietlinski, a Partner with the firm Province, after being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says:

- 1. I am a Partner with the firm of Province, LLC ("<u>Province</u>"), which is a financial advisory firm with its principal office located at 2360 Corporate Circle, Suite 340, Henderson, Nevada 89074. Province also has offices in the Los Angeles, Greenwich, New York, and Miami metro areas. Province was retained as financial advisor to the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors (the "<u>Committee</u>") on January 30, 2025 and Province's employment application was approved by the Court on March 18, 2025.
- 2. I have personally performed many of the services rendered by Province as financial advisor to the Committee and am familiar with the other work performed on behalf of the Committee by the other professionals in the firm.
- 3. The Second Monthly Application for Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses of Province, LLC as Financial Advisor to the Official Committee of Unsecured

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: JOANN Inc. (5540); Needle Holdings LLC (3814); Jo-Ann Stores, LLC (0629); Creative Tech Solutions LLC (6734); Creativebug, LLC (3208); WeaveUp, Inc. (5633); JAS Aviation, LLC (9570); joann.com, LLC (1594); JOANN Ditto Holdings Inc. (9652); Dittopatterns LLC (0452); JOANN Holdings 1, LLC (9030); JOANN Holdings 2, LLC (6408); and Jo-Ann Stores Support Center, Inc. (5027). The Debtors' mailing address is 5555 Darrow Road, Hudson, Ohio 44236.

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Creditors, for the Period from March 1, 2025 through March 31, 2025 (the "Application")

was prepared at my direction. The facts set forth in the foregoing Application are true to

the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

4. Province's rates for the services rendered by its professionals in these chapter 11

cases are similar to the rates Province charges for professional services rendered in

comparable bankruptcy and non-bankruptcy cases in a competitive national market for

financial advisory services.

5. I have reviewed the Court's Local Rule 2016-1 and the United States Trustee's

Guidelines for Review of Applications for Compensation and Reimbursement of Expenses

Filed under 11 U.S.C. s.330 (the "Guidelines"). The Application substantially complies

with Local Rule 2016-1 and the Guidelines.

Executed under penalty of perjury of the laws of the United States on this 6th day

of May 2025.

<u>/s/ Sanjuro Kietlinski</u>

Sanjuro Kietlinski, Partner

Province, LLC

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